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FM AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 7538

INFO AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

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AMEMBASSY MANILA

AMEMBASSY TOKYO

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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: ATOMIC ENERGY: PHYSICAL SECURITY DISCUSSIONS

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1. AS STATED IN REFTEL (B), EMBASSY WELCOMES ERDA TEAM, AND REVISED DATES ARE ACCEPTABLE. HOWEVER, SINCE FEBRUARY 16 IS U.S. NATIONAL HOLIDAY, AND EMBASSY OFFICIALLY CLOSED, WE PROPOSE MEETING WITH AMBASSADOR AND MEMBERS MISSION STAFF ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17 AT 10:30 A.M., AND HAVE MADE APPOINTMENT TO CALL ON ACTING SECRETARY GENERAL KRAIVUT SUKKIJBAMRUND, OFFICE OF ATOMIC ENERGY FOR PEACE (OAEP) AT HIS OFFICE AT BANG KHEN AT 3:30, AFTERNOON OF FEBRUARY 17, FOLLOWED BY VISIT TO OAEP'S RESEARCH REACTOR AT SAME LOCATION.

2. MR. PREECHA CHUNGWATANA, CHIEF, ATOMIC ENERGY DIVISION, ELECTRICITY GENERATING AUTHORITY OF THAILAND (EGAT) WOULD ALSO LIKE VERY MUCH TO HOLD DISCUSSION WITH MEMBERS OF ERDA TEAM. HE IS, HOWEVER, LEAVING FOR MANILA ON FEBRUARY 15, AND HAS INVITED ERDA TEAM FOR DINNER ON EVENING OF FEBRUARY 13, FOLLOWING TEAM'S ARRIVAL. ALSO TO BE INVITED WOULD BE DEPUTY MANAG-
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ING DIRECTOR OF EGAT, AND ACTING SECRETARY GENERAL KRAIVUT OF

OAEP, AS WELL AS MEMBERS OF EMBASSY'S COMMERCIAL STAFF. WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION OF WHETHER ERDA TEAM WILL ACCEPT DINNER INVITATION. IF TEAM WOULD ALSO BE INTERESTED IN VISITING EGAT PLANT AND MEETING WITH MANAGING DIRECTOR, PLEASE ADVISE. APPOINTMENT WOULD BE SOUGHT ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16.

3. CONTROL OFFICER WILL BE COMMERCIAL ATTACHE THOMAS STAVE. EMBASSY CAR WILL MEET GROUP AT AIRPORT. RESERVATIONS HAVE BEEN CONFIRMED AT PRESIDENT HOTEL. PLEASE ADVISE IF THESE ARRANGEMENTS ARE ACCEPTABLE.
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